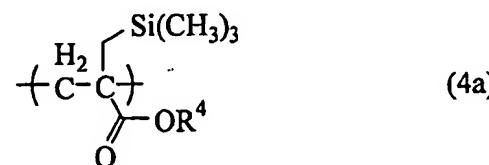
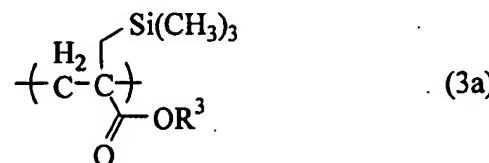
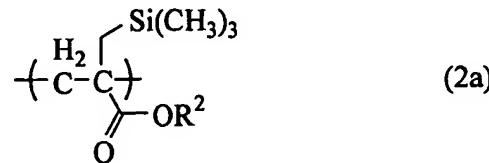
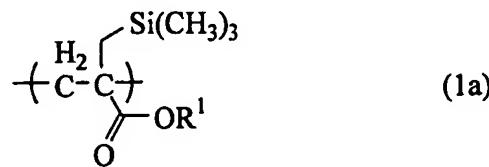


30 carbon atoms containing an oxygen functional group, and R⁴ is a monovalent organic group of 3 to 30 carbon atoms containing at least one silicon atom.

6. (Original) A polymer comprising recurring units of the general formula (1a), (2a), (3a) or (4a) and having a weight average molecular weight of 2,000 to 100,000,



wherein R¹ is a hydrogen atom, halogen atom or monovalent organic group, R² is an acid labile group, R³ is a monovalent organic group of 2 to 30 carbon atoms containing an oxygen functional group, and R⁴ is a monovalent organic group of 3 to 30 carbon atoms containing at least one silicon atom.